Foolish Department
Gold pieces are the coined tears of the poor.

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PLAYGROUNDS AND BATH-HOUSE HIGHLY ENDORSED

Unanimous Approval of the Projects At A Well-Attended Meeting In Lincoln Auditorium Last Evening

The playground and municipal bath house propositions got the biggest sort of a shove along the road to realization last night at an enthusiastic and well attended meeting under the auspices of the Recreation Committee of the Parent-Teachers' Association in Lincoln auditorium.

F. J. Gardner presided and gave everybody a chance to be heard. The following named expressed themselves as heartily in favor of the playgrounds and the bath house:

Mayor Garrard, Councilmen Gerlach and Lane, Otto Ludewig, City Attorney Hall, Architect Narbett, Contractor Johnson and wife, O. J. Gibbons, Assistant Librarian Ruth Epperson, Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Gerlach, Charles Bacon, Street Supt. Chapman, Harry Ellis, School Supt. Helms, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Zimmerman, Rev. Sanborne, Mrs. Boone, Charles Crary, C. S. Downing, Mrs. R. E. Cunningham, Harry Pulse, W. H. Conn, Levi Boswell Rev. Kennell and others.

It would be impossible to chronicle all that was said in favor of the projects. The key-note of the meeting was that we owed it to the rising generation that they be provided with something that would add to their physical and moral welfare and make them better citizens.

Another point made was that it should be done now. That to postpone action was to let an opportunity go by, as every year added to the cost of the property sought.

Slides of the schools and the property sought for playgrounds were shown, and estimates given as to the cost of the playgrounds, bath-house and equipment. They follow, the first amount being the price of the property, the second the improvements, the third the equipment and the fourth the total:

Lincoln—25 lots, $26,000; $16,000, $3000, $45,000.

Nystrom—21 lots, $13,000; $800, $2000, $15,800.

Peres—68 lots. $26,000; $1700, $5000, $32,700.

Grant—20 lots, $12,000; $5000, $18,500.

Washington—$8000 for the lots in front of the school.

Bath house, $70,000 for building and equipment, John Nicholl donating the property.

For an athletic field in front of the Union high school on the Nicholl tract, $30,000 for 6 acres, $5000 for equipment and improvements.

This makes a grand total of $225,000, which it is hoped to secure by a bond issue.

It was thought that the income from the bath-house would soon pay for its cost.

What some of those present said is given briefly as follows:

Councilman Lane—I would be ashamed of myself if I were not in favor of the playgrounds.

Gerlach—The sooner we get them the better we will be off.

Garrard—The playgrounds would be a dividend getter because it would keep wage earners here who now live elsewhere.

D. J. Hall—The future generations will bless our wisdom.

The meeting closed with a rising vote of endorsement of the commission's work.

GRAND PARLOR DELEGATES.

The Native Sons last night elected as delegates to the Grand Parlor at Redding in April, George Floyd and Andy Sumner. Alternates George Dahl and H. J. Wildgrube.

All outstanding money or tickets of the Charity ball should be turned in to W. B. Jenkins, treasurer of the Social Service Bureau.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS DRILL.

Grace Mallory, oracle of the Royal Neighbors of America, urges all officers to be on hand for the drill Monday evening. Mrs. Maud Arnold has been elected receiver to succeed Mrs. Preston Rosier, who plans a vacation of several months with her daughter in Canada. Miss Helen Forbes has been chosen organist.

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NEWS-T. & D. SPUD SHOW A GREAT SUCCESS

The charity matinee at the Turner & Dahnken theater yesterday afternoon, with a spud or an onion the price of admission, brought fifteen hundred school children into the play house, and netted the Social Service Bureau nearly half a ton of tubers.

Manager Northey had no idea it was to be such a success, and he was wholly unprepared for the shower of vegetables. The box he had secured was filled in no time. So he got another and then a third, and then he and his ushers began sacking them. The sacks gave out and a barrel was secured.

So great was the crowd that a police officer had to be called to help keep back the crush, and he had his hands full. A heavy glass was broken out of the popcorn machine by the pressure of the crowding youngsters.

It was a touching sight. Some of the little people looked anything but prosperous. They seemed more in need of charity than able to give it. One lad, his clothing little more than rags and his shoes worn through, was literally a mine of potatoes. Every pocked bulged with a big spud, and under his coat were others. When he got through unloading, eight big potatoes had been added to the heap.

One little girl brought her potatoes in a candy bag. On it was written, "For my baby." Manager Northey intends keeping it as a memento of the occasion, which he declares gave him more real pleasure than anything he ever participated in of the kind.

"It touched my heart to see those youngsters, some of them evidently poor, giving to charity," he said. "I had no idea it would be anything like this. It's just great, isn't it?"

There were fully 1500 school children in attendance, and two performances had to be given.

The quality of the vegetables was high grade, most of them big, as it seemed that the little folks vied with each other in trying to bring the biggest they could find.

Several of the potatoes weighed over a pound each, and there was one onion that weighed close to two pounds.

Pictures were taken of the crowd and they will be on exhibition at La Moine's drug store in a day or two.

Mrs. Gibson of the Social Service Bureau sent a drayman around and had the valuable edibles taken to a place of safety for distribution among the poor.

The News is particularly gratified that the affair was such a success, as we proposed it, but we desire also to thank the evening papers for their added publicity.

Manager Northey of the Richmond theater also has our thanks for his kindness in the matter.

ANOTHER FACTORY.

Through the efofrts of Herbert F. Brown, the Capital Art Metal Company of San Francisco is about to move to Richmond and occupy the old factory of the Sterling Fixture company, erected some years ago. The new company is a prosperous concern, manufacturing steel furniture and office fixtures. It will employ about 75 skilled mechanics to start with. The work of moving will be started at once.

Burglars ransacked the home of I. E. Bonham, 445 19th street, early yesterday morning, but so far as has been reported, nothing was taken.

Councilman Jim Long

(The Statesman from Coyote Creek)

(By Geritz, News Special Artist)
Top of Mount Diablo,
5 a. m. March 22.

Dear News: I am sending this biographical sketch by wireless from a safe distance, as the train I took out of town yesterlay morning only went as far as Walnut Creek. As soon as the councilmen lay down their axes and clubs and the excitement dies down, wireless me and I will come home. But be sure—don't take any chances on these city hall chaps, for some of them are bad actors. And about the worst of the bunch is the subject of this sketch.

Councilman J. N. Long was born of humble but honest parents and came into the world at a very early period of his existence. His parents never dreamed that he would grow up and ruin the family reputation by entering politics and becoming a city councilman.

The diamond stud made famous by the News does not show in the beautiful work of art above, for the reason that it had been hocked before the artist got to him, to pay off bets which the Hon. Jim made last fall on the election of Hughes. We hate to tear a rising statesman up by the roots, but our duty to the world is plain. The following is taken from the official records at the city hall, kept by Clerk Faris, who tried to hide it from the argus eye of the News, but didn't do it, because said argus eye, whatever that is, can see even through glass fronts:

Councilman Long—"Mr. Mayor, this man George Cushing has been at work on that street contract since Anni Domini B. C., prior to the time when the moccasin of the Aborigine first trod down the velvet verdure of these hills and flats. Also, Mr. Mayor, I can prove that he does not know a street from a state highway or a trail leading from Nowhere to Somewhere. And, Mr. Mayor, I have it upon the highest authority that this man Cushing is a lineal descendant from those who came to this coast in galleons and scuttled ships and got away with pieces-of-eight! Therefore, Mr. Mayor, B'gosh, sir, I move that this council buy a tank of boiling oil from the Standard Oil works and souse him in it, unless he gives a million dollar bond right here and now to finish that thoroughfare p. d. q."

Mr. Cushing—"Mr. Mayor, I rise to a point of personal privilege. The Hon. Councilman from the 'Steenth ward, sir, has torpedoed my honor, and I am forced to sever diplomatic relations, sir! He claims to be a master plasterer, sir, and I make the assertion now, without fear of successful contradiction, that I know more about street paving in a minute than he does about plaster in a month! And I have here to submit to this honorable body conclusive evidence and documentary proof that this man Long never spread a yard of plaster in his life, sir, that did not jar down upon the floor the first time the housewife opened up upon her worser half for being out too late at lodge! He won that diamond shirt stud from me in a poker game by hiding out two aces in his shoe, and when he runs for re-election this spring I propose, sir, to vote my entire street gang against him early and often!"

Well, now, there you are. If Councilman Jim Long don't get mor'n five thousand majority at the spring election it is not my fault. He has not been diplomatic.

Long is the newest member on the council, having been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Councilman Ludewig, who resigned. But while the newest on the job, he is among the very best councilmen Richmond ever had. He is not only Long by name and long of reach, but he also has a long head, and it is not long for nothing. There are likely some wheels in it, among other things, and if so some of 'em are surely buzz-saws.

The News was an ardent supporter of Mr. Long for the legislative nomination last summer, and had our citizens have had energy enough to go to the polls he would be in Sacramento now, looking after Richmond's best interests. And to pay for this apathy they certainly owe Jim Long a cracking big vote this spring, and the endorsement of an election ratifying his appointment—if he wants it, and I do not know whether he does or not.

The awful records, and pictures, of Lane, Fernald, Hartnett, Picton and the rest will be wirelessed in later. Keep me posted on when it is safe to venture home.

F. J. H.

PUBLIC HEARING ON FIRE INSURANCE RATES

A public hearing on insurance rates will be held at Pulse hall this evening. Fire chiefs of the bay region and Secretary Duval of the Board of Underwriters of the Pacific will be guests this afternoon of the Merchants' Association committee on insurance rates. Under the direction of Fire Chief Lemoine they will be shown the local fire equipment.

All property owners and business men are urged to be on hand at the meeting tonight to help secure a reduction of 7 1-2 per cent in the insurance rate.

Chief Whitshead of Oakland, Battalion Chief Layden of San Francisco, Chief Steinmetz of Alameda and Chief Rose of Berkeley will be here.

SHIP YARD STRIKE ENDED YESTERDAY

The $500 striking laborers of the Alameda plant of the Union Iron Works and the Moore & Scott shipyards, returned to work yesterday, and the walk-out of three weeks ago has come to an end.

While shipyard officials claim this a signal victory for their position that only on a return to work will the striking men be conferred with on their demand for $3 a day, W. A. Spooner, secretary of the Oakland Central Labor Council, said:

"The men have gone back to work with their heads up, having obtained recognition of their union and secured a guarantee of a conference within forty-eight hours, at which their differences will be settled."

H. A. Carter, editor of the Tulare Register, visited old friends at the Point yesterday.

WHOLE WORLD, INCLUDING U. S. NOW AGAINST GERMANY

Warlordism Forces All Nations to Combat Tutons Save Austria and the Unspeakable Turk

WASHINGTON, March 21.—President Wilson today called Congress into extra session for April 2. He has decided to meet Germany's high-sea affronts with sweeping action.

The President publicly proclaimed he will send a communication to Congress regarding "grave matters of national policy which should be taken immediately under consideration."

Congress will be asked to consider aggressive steps to be taken toward the imperial government. With a state of war admittedly existing as a result of U-boat attacks on American merchant ships, a declaration of war may result as the first action taken by Congress. If the President does not ask a declaration of war, Congress may demand one.

WILL CO-OPERATE WITH THE ALLIES

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The state department made it clear this afternoon that in war operations that may come there must be co-operation between the allies and the United States.

The department indicated it believes war is inevitable.

This is how one of President Wilson's Cabinet members described today the probable course of action this nation will take if war with Germany comes, as is now expected.

Alignment with the entente allies.

The British and French fleets now in western Atlantic waters would be released for duty elsewhere, especially in the submarine zone, by being replaced by the American Atlantic fleet. This country does not at present plan sending an armed expedition to Europe because the allies have all the men they need.

Our ports would be thrown open to allied ships for all purposes. Extension of unlimited credit to the allies so that they would be able to purchase all the necessary ammunition, food and supplies.

EL CERRITO WANTS TO INCORPORATE

El Cerrito, formerly known as Rust, proposes to incorporate. The thriving little community declined to come into the Richmond fold some time ago, and if anybody out that way suggested becoming a part of Richmond he would be given a very brief time in which to depart.

Now families are moving in and there is now quite a population there, in consequence of which the residents are anxious to have a little city of their own. A committee of nine is working on the proposition, and last night they had an important and enthusiastic meeting, in which the proposition was discussed more or less in detail. It must come formally before the supervisors, and action in that direction will be taken at once.

It will be "duck soup" for Nick Ayes, publisher, owner, editor, printer, reporter and devil of the El Cerrito Journal, which is the only newspaper published out there. Nick isn't just sure whether he will run for councilman or mayor, but he is reasonably sure that he will accept the city printing and advertising if it is offered him. If it isn't offered him he'll take it anyhow.

FLAG POLE IN PLACE.

The big flag pole, which is to be the center of the celebration for the flag raising Saturday, is in place. The pole was raised by experts in the employ of the Western States Gas & Electric Company, and it was quite some job. The pole was hoisted straight up by a derrick and dropped down a 14-foot steel 12-inch pipe, which is set in eight feet of concrete. Fire Chief Lemoin is in charge of the work.

Mrs. Henry Schragg spent yesterday in San Francisco.

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Editorial Comment

STATE HIGHWAY OUTRAGE.

The last obstacle, no matter how small, standing in the way of the prompt completion of the state highway through Contra Costa county from Albany to Martinez was removed Monday afternoon when the supervisors voted to purchase a small strip of right of way from the Tormey estate at Oleum for $750.

The State Highway Commission has been contending that all of the right of ways were not granted and it was true that this short stretch had not been attended to owing to the inability of the county and owners of the property to come to an agreement until Monday, but just how this affected the concreting of the highway between Martinez and Crockett the people of this county could not fathom.

But it seems that it has—but this is all a thing of past now. Every inch of right of way has been secured, some of the road has been built, other portions graded, the money placed at the disposal of the highway board more than three years ago and it's now up to the highway board to live up to its promises of several years ago and complete its work in Contra Costa.—Martinez Gazette.

Oh, is that so? Well, we will have to be shown, having been in Missouri quite a few times in our travels. If the purchase of a dinky little strip of land from the Tormey estate for $750 was all that has been defrauding this county out of its just dues in this state highway matter, why in blazes didn't the Board of Suprvisors buy it or condemn it or get it three or four years ago?

The facts of the matter are that our county authorities have been very much asleep on this state highway matter, until the patience of the people has become well nigh exhausted. The people of the state voted thirteen millions of dollars to the Bull Moose administration over six years ago, and last fall voted fifteen millions more. Contra Costa county bought its share of the road bonds at least three years ago, and has no more state highway than a rabbit to show for it today.

Al McCabe, representing Governor Johnson and the state administration, said bluntly a number of years ago that if we did not elect Sumner Crosby to the State Senate from this district, Contra Costa county never would get its share of the state highway, and it looks to a man up a tree and looking down that they came pretty near knowing what they were talking about.

The Supervisors have dilly-dallied along on this important matter for years and accomplished nothing. Finally they appointed a committee, and so far that committee has failed to deliver the goods, though Sheriff Veale assures us every time he comes down here to a banquet that Richmond is to have the state highway in a few minutes. We don't believe we ever will get a state highway, or any other kind of a highway between Richmond and the county seat that a self-respecting burro would not be ashamed to travel over, until the city of Richmond loads up a blunderbus with grape shot and goes gunning for the whole bunch, at Sacramento and Martinez, and all down the line, and we herewith move that a committee be appointed by our Chamber of Commerce, and another by our city council, to purchase said gun and powder and ball, and that they be instructed to go hunting at once and bag some game, irrespective of game laws. There is no game laws on supervisors and politicians, anyhow.

Incidentally, our Supervisors appear to have no trouble in constructing from $300,000 to $500,000 worth of roads all over this county (except in the direction of Richmond), because we suckers around here furnish them with a third of the money to do it with, but when it comes to get anything in the road line built in this direction they pass up a line of excuses and warm ozone which shows them to be adepts at that glad-handing business.

LE US BE SENSIBLE.

Elsewhere Neighbor Gibbons appears in his usual scream. When Gibbons is not screaming he is yelling, or bellyaching. To Gibbons nothing is right. The whole world is wrong, and it never will get right until it turns over the combination to fellows like him who know all about it. The News did not say that the speaker at the labor meeting in presenting the Mooney evidence was unconvincing. What we said was that the speaker's manner of talk was unconvincing, in that it was the same old class hatred line of bunk that men like him, whose meal tickets depend upon stirring up trouble, have been handing down for years and years and years. He said that "capital and labor are at each other's throats and locked in a death struggle," and we maintain in reply that he don't know what he is talking about. Capital is getting good interest upon its investment and labor is drawing down better wages than ever before in the history of the world. Their interests are largely the same, and a lot of this "death struggle" business should be cut out. Arbitration, organization and common sense will achieve vastly more for the cause of labor than rabid agitation.

As far as Mooney is concerned, we do not know anything about it, except what the newspapers contained. So far the evidence against him is purely circumstantial, and we do not favor hanging any man on circumstantial evidence. And we chipped in a dollar to his defense fund, and bet that much more that Gibbons did not do as well.

An exchange wants a commission created to watch the other commissions. A good idea. They need it. But who will watch the commission on commissions?

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State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1916-1917.

Office of the Collector of State and Count Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have receive from the Auditor of Contra Costa county th Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal yea 1916-1917, and

That the taxes on all personal propert secured by real property, and one-half of th taxes on real property, will be due an payable on the

Third Monday in October, 1916,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday i December next thereafter, at six o'clock p.m and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen pe cent will be added to the amount thereof, an that if said one-half be not paid before th

Last Monday in April, 1917,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five pe cent will be added thereto. The remainin one-half of the taxes on all real property wil be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1917,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April,

next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and un less paid prior thereto, five per cent will b added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time th first installment, as herein provided, is du and payable.

That payment of taxes must be made a the office of the Tax Collector, in the tow of Martinez.

MARTIN W. JOOST.
Tax Collector Contra Costa County

Nov. 13, 1916.
Apr. 25, 1917

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

1917

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's Office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1917,

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office, or at the Richmond Branch of the County Assessor's office, 420 Macdonald avenue.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the first day of May, 1917.

G. O. MEESE,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator, at the office of Will S. Robenson, 707 Macdonald avenue, Richmond, Cal., the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within ten months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated March 7th, 1917.

WILLIAM GOULART,
Administrator of the Estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased.
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AT THE POINT THEATER

It may sound like a queer title for a photoplay, but if you like a story well acted, well staged, and with popular players, you will not fail to see why and how "He Fell in Love With His Wife."

This production opens with a situation that grips your interest and holds it through to the finish. Many and unexpected complications arise, but Florence Rockwell, as Alida Armstrong, gives a portrayal of charm and sweetness that will completely win you. Forrest Stanley, as James Holcroft, is the same fine looking, manly actor that has appeared in other productions from the Pallas studios.

NATIVE DAUGHTERS WHIST.

The Native Daughters will conduct a whist party Tuesday, the 27th, at Pythian Hall. Refreshments will be served. Score cards 21 cents.

ISLE OF CHANCE HEARD FROM.

Reports of this island have been floating around the school for the last six weeks. They materialized into something tangible Tuesday night when the King of the Island and his attendants met their shipwrecked victims at the Lincoln school. Their dress rehearsal was so good that even the actors forgot that it was only a play. If good voices, tuneful melodies, graceful dances and charming scenery are any inducement, surely everybody will journey to the "Isle of Chance" at the Lincoln auditorium Friday night.

FOWLER-POTTER.

Henry Fowler, a well known special patrolman of this city, was married in Oakland yesterday to Miss Pearl Potter, a popular young woman of Richmond. After a short Oakland yesterday. After a short honeymoon they will return to Richmond and take up their residence on Ninth street. Both have a great many friends here who will join in wishing them lots of happiness.

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NOTICE OF FILING UNPAID ASSESSMENT LIST No. 276.

Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of March, 1917, H. D. Chapman, Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond, filed with me a complete list of assessments unpaid under the certain warrant, assessment and diagram issued to Raven Company, the contractor, on the 6th day of February, 1917, for the construction of lateral sewers and outfall in the Bay Shore Tract in the City of Richmond, under and pursuant to Resolution of Intention No. 276, of the City Council of said City, passed and adopted on the 21st day of August, 1916, and other proceedings had in conformity thereto under the Improvement Act of 1911 and the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, reference being hereby made to said Resolution of Intention, for a description of the work and the district therein mentioned, which resolution of intention, together with all subsequent proceedings, contained a declaration as follows:

"And notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments and bearing interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature five (5) years from the 2nd day of July next succeeding nine (9) months from their date".

Interested persons are hereby notified that they may appear before the Council of the City of Richmond, at the regular meeting of said Council, to be held on the 2nd day of April, 1917, at the hour of nine (9) o'clock P. M., and show cause why bonds should not be issued upon the security of the unpaid assessments as shown on said list, that being the time hereby fixed by me for such purpose.

Dated at Richmond, California, March 20th, 1917. A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond and Ex-officio Clerk of the City Council of said City. (Seal.)
March 22-23.

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NUMBER 300.

A resolution of the Council of the City of Richmond declaring its intention to improve Portions of South Street, Wall Avenue, Forty-First Street, and Thirty-Seventh Street, in the City of Richmond.

Creating an assessment district to pay the expenses of such work or improvement, and determining that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the expenses thereof.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, as follows:

That the public interest and convenience require, and that it is the intention of the Council of the City of Richmond, to order the following work to be done and improvement to be made in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, to-wit:

That South Street, from the southwesterly line of Wall's Addition to the City of Richmond to the southerly line of Wall Avenue; Wall Avenue, from the extension southerly of the easterly line of Block 186 of said Wall's Addition to the extension northerly of the westerly line of Block 196 of said Wall's Addition; and Forty-first Street, from the extension westerly of the northerly line of said Block 196 to the northerly line of Cutting Boulevard, including all intersections and terminations therein contained, and including all that part of Thirty-seventh Street between the northerly line of Wall Avenue and a line drawn from the southeasterly corner of Block 185, Wall's Addition to the most westerly corner of Lot 17, Block 184, Wall's Addition, be graded to the official lines and grades, paved with a five inch concrete base with a paint top wearing surface consisting of asphalt and rock screenings; that cement concrete curbs with galvanized steel curb bars, cement concrete sidewalks, culverts of corrugated iron and concrete with concrete wing walls and portals, and parkings with redwood curbs, be constructed thereon.

That all of said work shall be done at the places and in the manner and of the materials as specified, set forth and shown on the plans and specifications for said work adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond, by its Resolution No. 300 passed and adopted by the said Council at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 19th day of March, 1917, and now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference to said plans and specifications being hereby especially made.

Excepting, however, from all the afore-described work such portion as is required by law to be kept in order and repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon; and also excepting from all the afore-described work any portion thereof already done to the official lines and grades and constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications herein mentioned.

And the said Council of the City of Richmond does hereby determine and declare that said proposed work and improvement is of more than local or ordinary public benefit, and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared to be the district benefitted by said work and improvement; and that therefore the entire costs, charges and expenses of said work and improvement shall be and is hereby made chargeable against and shall be assessed upon said lands and district, which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and is bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northwesterly line of South Street and 331.25 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Beck Street, and running thence in direct lines as follows: Northwesterly at right angles to South Street a distance of 150 feet; thence at right angles northeasterly to the most southerly corner of Lot 7, Block 167, of Wall's Addition, as shown on map entitled "Map of Walls Addition to the City of Richmond" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 22nd day of March, 1909; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot 9, said Block 167; thence to the most northerly corner of said Lot 9; thence to the most southerly corner of Lot 1, Block 187, said Walls Addition; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 1; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 9, Block 186, said Walls Addition; thence to the northwesterly corner of last said Lot 9; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 23, Block 185, said Walls Addition; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 20, said Block 185; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 21, Block 184, said Walls Addition; thence to the most northerly corner of Lot 17, said Block 184; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 14, said Block 184; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 3, Block 183, said Walls Addition; thence to the northwesterly corner of lot 15, block 181, said Walls Addition; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 15; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 5, said Block 181; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 10, Block 196, said Walls Addition; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 18, Block 198, said Walls Addition; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 12, said Block 198; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot 12; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 11, said Block 198; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot 11; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 50, Block 195, said Walls Addition; thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot 50; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 49, said Block 195; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 6, said Block 195; thence to the southwesterly corner of said Lot 6; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 39, Block 194, said Walls Addition; thence to the southwesterly corner of said Lot 39; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 5, said Block 194; thence to the southwesterly corner of last said Lot 5; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 40, Block 193, said Walls Addition; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 5, Block 192, said Walls Addition; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 47, Block 191, said Walls Addition; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 5, Block 190, said Walls Addition; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 17, Block 188, said Walls Addition; thence to the southwesterly corner of last said Lot 17; thence to the most southerly corner of Lot 25, said Block 188; thence to the most easterly corner of Lot 9, Block 189, said Walls Addition; thence to the most southerly corner of last said Lot 9; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot 17, said Block 189; thence southwesterly to a point on the northwesterly line of South Street, 331.25 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Beck Street, and the point of commencement.

Being all in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California. Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, crossings and places therein included and contained.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, April 9th, 1917, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock P. M., at the Council Chambers of the Council of the City of Richmond at the City Hall of the City of Richmond at No. 2556 Nevin Avenue, in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, are hereby fixed as the day, hour and place when and where any and all persons having any objections to the proposed work or improvement, may appear before the said Council of the City of Richmond, and show cause why said proposed improvement should not be carried out in accordance with this resolution.

That said Council under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of Legislature of the State of California, approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the expenses of said proposed improvement, which said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and a bond shall be issued to represent each assessment of twenty-five (25) dollars or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said Council upon an appeal, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date and until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by a coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest is paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

The Richmond News, a daily newspaper published and circulated in the said City of Richmond, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution of intention shall be published, and the Clerk of the City of Richmond is hereby directed to cause this resolution of intention to be published by two insertions in said newspaper in the manner required by said "Improvement Act of 1911," and the Superintendent of Streets is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted notices of the passage of this resolution, in the manner and form required by said "Improvement Act of 1911."

This Resolution of Intention is adopted under the provisions of the "Improvement Act of 1911."

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of intention was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Richmond, on the 19th day of March, 1917, by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmen Long, Gerlach, Ogborn, Penry, Lane, Picton and Garrard.

Absent: Councilmen Fernald and Hartnett.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond, this 20th day of March, 1917.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.
Approved: E. J. Garrard, Mayor.
March21-22

LABOR BRIEFS.

Organized labor in New York is opposed to the state constabulary bill

A "mutual agreement" has been reached by the Chicago switchmen and the railroad managers

The industrial differences that have been agitating workers at the New York navy yard have been adjusted.

Boys at the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company's No. 10 and No. 8 collieries, in the Panther creek valley, struck work, throwing both plants idle.

"God grant that we may be kept out of war, but if it comes we'll stand firm for the republic of the United States, not for the name, but for what it stands and typifies."—Samuel Gompers.

Workers Get Raise.

An increase in wages and a forty-eight hour week have been conceded 6,000 Chicago members of the United Garment Workers' union by nineteen firms in the special order clothing trade. They receive the highest wages paid in that line in the United States

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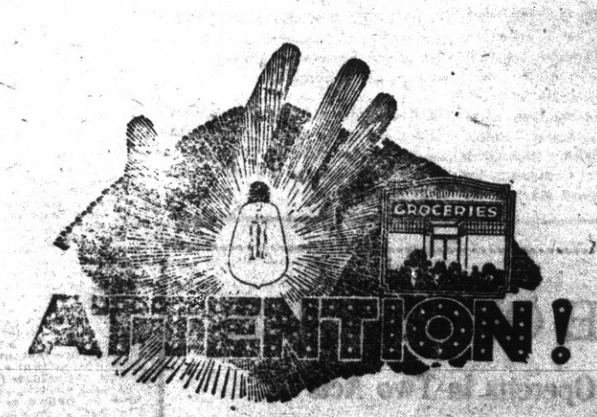

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THE SPOTLIGHT

By the OLD MAN.

The News-T. & D. Spud Show was a whale of a success, and there were many amusing incidents about it. Some poor little kiddies came with a potato tucked away in their shirt that didn't have two-bits worth of clothes on their backs. It was the poor giving to the poor. The groceryman also staked a good many little chaps to a potato or onion, and it was a happy crowd that assembled—must have been a thousand of them.

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The Community Club at its regular weekly meeting had a guessing contest at conundrums, and a lot of fun and frolic. One conundrum propounded was "Why is a City Hall?" Nobody could guess it. Pawrell wanted to know why married people lived longer than single people, and McCausland said they didn't—it just seemed longer.

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What has become of the project to have a planting day at the city hall? The News suggested some time ago that each of the officials and many citizens plant a tree or flowering plant, and all contribute a bit of time to making the grounds a civic spot of beauty, but nobody seemed to respond. People are always ready to give three cheers, but when it comes to turning out and doing something they "let George do it."

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At the Tivoli we bumped into Charley Walker, Louie Farrell and half the Independent gang. Otto don't seem to care who he lets in there lately.

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J. B. Silveira of the Harbor Creamery has leased the new Jones brick building now going up next to the Kurtz store and will put in a stock when it is completed.

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Kurtz the clothier has added glass fronts to his clothing rack and a fine cashier's cage, where he shovels in the money with a coal scoop. Just at present, though, Kurtz don't love the Lord, the world, the flesh or the devil, because of a bad case of grippe. Everey time he laughs he cries, and he has used up half his handkerchief stock mopping up the wetness. He says he is as full of microbes right now as some people are of prunes.

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The new knitting factory out 23rd street is getting the second story on now and a big periscope of some kind is sticking up into the atmosphere. When it opens up for work in June, Winkler, Hurlburt, McCausland, Sisson, Littlefield, Shaffer and this scribe are thinking of getting our wives jobs, and all of us do nothing the rest of our lives but smoke and go fishing. Maybe we can't put it over, but the resolution has passed second reading and will likely be adopted at the next session. Sessions are held Sundays.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GETS BUSY

At a meeting of representatives of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon the following committee to look after the industrial affairs of the body to assist in getting sites for proposed manufacturing concerns, was appointed:

Finance, J. F. Galvin, Charles Bacon, Charles Yonce; industrial, E. J. Garrard, C. J. Crary and E. Downing; freight rates, W. L. Belienger, W. L. Boone and E. J. Garrard; membership, Clinton Smith, Charles Bacon, L. Farrell; home building, Narbett, Ogborn, Fagerstrom; waterways, C. J. Crary, O. R. Ludewig and C. R. Blake; entertainment, L. L. Farrell, C. T. Walker and E. H. Kueffer; publicity, Frank Linder, G. E. Milnes and F. J. Hulaniski.

It was decided to look into the proposition of being represented at the state land show in San Francisco this fall.

The committee decided to take no part in the matter of recruiting the Richmond company of National Guard, as requested.

It was decided not to get up a Fourt of July celebration this year, but to have a big one each alternate year.

Rev. Linder was appointed to attend the social convention at Alameda April 23.

C. G. Bacon brought up the Sharkey bill allowing long term leases along Carquinez straits, suggesting that such a bill be drafted for Richmond, to attract factories by granting sites. City Attorney Hall and the council will be asked to attend to the proposition.

The scarcity of homes, which was brought up by J. F. Galvin, was discussed in all its phases, but no conclusion arrived at.

Mayor Garrard stated that he had been showing factory sites to various interests, but had little information to give, as data was not at hand. The industrial committee and the secretary were instructed to gather such data.

F. J. Hulaniski brought up the fact of Richmond getting the small end of everything from the county, in the matter of road work, offices and printing, and the same will receive the attention of the committee.

NO CHINK MEAT SAY BUTCHERS

Most of the local butchers have signed an agreement and deposited a forfeit of $50 each, not to purchase meat from the Chinese dealers. The following named have signed up: Richmond and Central markets, by O. R. Ludewig; Independent market, by Dietsch & Lancaster; Union market, by E. Forwick; Richmond Meat and Provision Company, by Geo. S. Loher; Standard Market, by R. L. Wollins. Efforts to get the others to sign will be made, and the matter of the restaurants said to be using Chinese meat will also be looked into. Business Agent Fred Heckman of the Labor Council investigated the reports of Chinese meat coming into Richmond.

Onetah Council, Degree of Pocahontas, enjoyed a mask ball at Pythian Castle last evening. There was a large attendance and all had an enjoyable time.

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The fight of organized labor is that of liberty against tyranny. Whatever it may do the most it can be charged with is that it attempts to use unwise methods to accomplish worthy objects. At the worst it is but adopting the methods by which the corporations it is fighting acquired their wealth and power. I am not defending criminality, but it should be remembered that organized capital's trump card has ever been to commit crime and have it laid at the door of labor.

The recorded history of corporate wealth forbids the assumption that it can come into a court of justice with clean hands. It is only by covering up its history that it has any standing before the bar of public opinion. Stolen public land, bribed franchises, corrupted legislatures, bought newspapers, perverted education, without these the power that is fighting labor and incidentally trying to hang these accused agitators would never have come into being.

Let us have light.

O. J. GIBBONS.

LATEST NEWS NOTES FROM THE POINT

Miss Edith Delp was agreeably surprised last night at her home by a number of her friends. The evening was pleasantly spent with music and games. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. C. Cotton.

Those present were: Misses Irene Conn, Wilma Miller, Frieda Moyle, Messrs. Horace Read, Ray Young, Elmer Conn, Vernile Read and J. C. Cotton.

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A. Odel, who has been staying with his son in Oakland, is home for a short stay.

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Mrs. Mary Coons anad daughter, Florence, spent yesterday in San Francisco.

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The Delphian Club will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. P. C. Campbell on Washington avenue.

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I. Garfinkle of the Economy store was in San Francisco yesterday on business.

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there be more than double the number of nominating petitions filed, that is more than six, then there will have to be a primary election, Monday, April 30. Nominating petitions must be filed 30 days before the election.

Mrs. Holly Adams, who was severely injured Tuesday morning when she fainted as she was about to board a car, is getting along nicely under the care of Dr. Lucas.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

In accordance with and pursuant to that certain Resolution No. 917, passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond on the 5th day of March, 1917, providing for a special municipal election to be held in the City of Richmond on Tuesday, April 3, 1917, to which said resolution reference is hereby especially made:

Notice is hereby given that a special municipal election in and for the City of Richmond will be held on Tuesday, April 3, 1917, at which said election there will be submitted to the qualified electors of the City of Richmond, for their adoption or rejection, the charter prepared and proposed by the Board of Freeholders elected for that purpose; and also the question of the adoption or rejection of a proposed ordinance accepting the offer of Fred LaMoine, W. A. LaSelle, Chas. G. Yonce, C. E. Clark, C. L. Abbott, Harry Addison, Alva M. Lamar, and Harry Pulse to sell to the City of Richmond certain lots in Block Thirty-nine (39), City of Richmond Tract, for the purpose of erecting thereon a city hall for the City of Richmond for the sum of Forty-nine Thousand (49,000) Dollars, and providing for the calling of an election for the purpose of determining whether or not bonds shall be issued in a sum not less than One Hundred Thousand (100,000) Dollars for the purpose of securing and purchasing said property and such additional adjoining property as the public convenience and welfare may require, and for the purpose of erecting thereon a municipal building to be used as a city hall and for such other municipal purposes as may be proper.

The ballots to be used at said special municipal election shall be such as may be required by law to be used thereat, and in addition to any other matter required by law to be printed thereon, there shall appear thereon the following:

"MUNICIPAL TICKET.

Instructions to voters: To vote for the proposed charter stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "For The Charter". To vote against the said proposed charter stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "Against The Charter".

To vote for the proposed ordinance stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "For The Ordinance". To vote against the proposed ordinance stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "Against The Ordinance".

Also said ballot shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE CHARTER"
"AGAINST THE CHARTER"
"FOR THE ORDINANCE"
"AGAINST THE ORDINANCE"

To vote in favor of said charter, the elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "For The Charter". To vote against said charter, the elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "Against The Charter". To vote in favor of said ordinance, the elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "For the Ordinance". To vote against said ordinance, the elector shall stamp a cross (X) in the square to the right of the words "Against the Ordinance".

For the purpose of said special municipal election, all election precincts in said City of Richmond, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, except election precinct number 1, shall be consolidated into and shall constitute eleven consolidated election precincts, and said election precinct number 1 shall be known as a "Special Election Precinct"

The location of the polling places and the names of the election officers for each of such polling places, shall be as follows, to-wit:

Precinct number one, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, is hereby established and created a special election precinct for the purpose of this election, to be known as "Special Election Precinct No. 1".

Polling Place: Winehaven Fire Hall.
Inspectors: Alex Johnson, Mrs. Alice M. Clark.
Judges: George Thurber, Mrs. Ethel E. Jones.
Clerks: E. Pinkerton, Mrs. Lyda Jones.

Precincts numbers 2, 3, and 4, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 2".

Polling place: Store-room 207 W. Richmond avenue.
Inspectors: A. C. Trautvetter, Mrs. Jennie M. Totten.
Judges: E. G. Stidham, Mrs. Nettie B. Grover.
Clerks: A. D. King, Miss Georgia Johnson.

Precincts numbers 5, 6, and 7, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 3".

Polling place: Fire House No. 1, 43 Park Place.
Inspectors: J. B. Willis, Mrs. Eliza A. Gerlach.
Judges: Albert Mason, Mrs. Alice M. Carter.
Clerks: W. O. Arnold, Mrs. Grace Black.

Precincts numbers 8 and 9, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 4".

Polling place: Maple Hall, 3rd street and Ohio avenue.
Inspectors: Harry O. Watson, Mrs. Lillian M. Blake.
Judges: Ole J. Dahl, Mrs. Elfreeda H. Scott.
Clerks: A. D. Jackson, Miss Grace D. Curry.

Precincts numbers 10, 11, and 12, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 5".

Polling Place: Musician's Hall, No. 1120 1-2 Macdonald avenue.
Inspectors: Mrs Katherine H. Smith, D. H. Carpenter.
Judges: Arthur N. Mills, Mrs. Kate M. Morgan.
Clerks: Sydney A. Stitt, Mrs. Celia Hampton.

Precincts numbers 13, 14, and 15, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 6".

Polling Place: Fire House No. 2, 235 5th street.
Inspectors Frank J. Case, Mrs. Mattie J. House.
Judges W. F. Petillion, Mrs. Marie L. Ogborn.
Clerks: Howard F. Casey, Mrs. Crissie E. Byrne.

Precincts numbers 16, 17, and 18, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 7".

Polling Place: Taxpayer's Ass'n Bldg., 322 6th street.
Inspectors; M. E. Dilley, Mrs. Bertha M. Smedley.
Judges: C. B. Evans, Mrs. Mary S. Bedwell.
Clerks: H. A. Miller, Mrs. Myrtle M. Carter.

Precincts numbers 19, 20, and 21, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 8".

Polling Place: Mt. Diablo Garage, 1121 Macdonald avenue.
Inspectors: Fred H. Eggerth, Mrs. Lenora A. Gibson.
Judges: Wm. Lindsey, Mrs. Madge A. Ripley.
Clerks: Wm. F. Belding, Mrs. Sarah E. Hutton.

Precincts numbers 22, 23, and 24, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 9".

Polling Place: Johnston's Garage, 9th st., near Penn. avenue.
Inspectors: J. H. Duus, Mrs. Talitha Edgar.
Judges: B. R. Barbieri, Mrs. Mary J. Cotton.
Clerks: Jas. H. Chandler, Mrs. Jennie H. Tuttle.

Precincts numbers 26 and 27, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 10".

Polling Place: Fairview Hotel, 2188 Macdonald avenue.
Inspectors: Joe C. Leber, Mrs. May H. Donnelly.
Judges: Fred Lutz, Mrs. Bessie Huise.
Clerks: Geo. W. Dreyspring, Mrs. Edna Webster.

Precincts numbers 28 and 29, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 11".

Polling Place: Grant School, 25th st. and Grant avenue.
Inspectors: S. G. Spagnoli Mrs. Mary H. Mathos.
Judges: M. A. Hays. Mrs. Jennie S. Conwell.
Clerks: Robert M. Knowlton, Mrs. Hannah Coffey.

Precincts numbers 29 and 30, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 12".

Polling Place: Citizens' Progressive Club Rooms, Potrero avenue and 42nd street.
Inspectors: Eugene B. Allen, Mrs. Grace E. Menderes.
Judges: Ben Boorman, Mrs. Hattie L. Munday.
Clerks: Elgin K. Gillett, Mrs. Adelaide B. Picton.

The officers of election, hereinbefore named and designated, must, prior to entering upon their respective duties, each take and subscribe the oath of office prescribed by law for such officers and apportion among themselves, the work and labor required to conduct such election.

In case any of the officers of election so designated and appointed, shall fail to attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of said election, the electors of the municipal election precincts present at that hour, shall fill their places by appointing other competent and qualified persons.

The polls for such election shall be open at six (6) o'clock A. M. of the morning of said day of election, and shall be kept open until seven (7) o'clock P. M. in the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

By order of the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California.

A. C. FARIS,
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March 22-23-24.

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